Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Master Sergeant Robert Hopkin's dedication to service has made him a valuable asset to this state and country; and,

Whereas, We have very few occasions to recognize these patriotic individuals for their service to this state and country; and,

Whereas, Master Sergeant Hopkins has devoted over 21 years of his life to the service of this state and country as a leader in the United States Air Force; and,

Whereas, His loyalty and leadership have made him a cornerstone in the Armed Forces of this country; and,

Whereas, Master Sergeant Hopkins continues to give of himself; and,

Whereas, It is fitting and proper as Governor to commend Master Sergeant Robert Hopkins for over 21years of dedicated and outstanding service to this state and country:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 6, 2012, as

MASTER SERGEANT
ROBERT HOPKINS DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with his family and friends in wishing him well in his retirement and thanking him for his service to the state of South Dakota and to the United States.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twelfth Day of December in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eleven.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Jason Gant

Jason M. Gant, Secretary of State